METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR EXCHANGING INFORMATION, SUCH AS NONDESTRUCTIVE EVALUATION DATA, BETWEEN DISTRIBUTED USERS

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Methods and systems for providing distributed participants with test data, such as NDE data. In one embodiment, a test conductor controls test equipment to collect test data for a part. The test conductor controls the test equipment by operating a first user computer operatively connected to the test equipment. The test data is automatically sent from the test equipment to the first user computer, and from the first user computer to a server computer via a communications link, such as the Internet. The server computer forwards the test data to an application program that generates a display page containing at least a portion of the test data. The server computer then sends the display page to a second user computer located remotely from the first user computer. The second user computer can be operated by a distributed participant having an interest in the test.